

MGPS Preapproved Specialization Courses for Summer and Fall 2016

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** IMPORTANT NOTES **

- Please note that this is not a comprehensive or final list. Please check the Registrar's site for updates and crosscheck unique numbers before registration.
- If you find a class in the Summer and Fall 2016 timetables that is not on this list, but you think it may count towards one of the specializations, please send an email to the GPS Advisor, Dr. Lorinc Redei (lredei@austin.utexas.edu) AND the specialization coordinator (listed below). In cases where the title does not provide sufficient information to determine fit with a specialization, you should contact the professor and get a course description or a syllabus, and attach that information to your message.
- Courses must have sufficient international and policy relevant content to count. Foreign language and other skills-oriented classes (i.e.: those without a substantive focus) do not count towards the specializations, unless they contain at least 50% content (graded material) that has direct relevance to your specialization. These courses are subject to ad hoc approval by the specialization coordinator and the GPS Advisor.
- There are several courses at LBJ and around UT whose titles do not obviously fit with the MGPS specializations. However, the GPS Advisor may consider approving these courses on an ad hoc basis, if at least half of the course grade is determined by work that has direct relevance to your specialization. You must prove this both before signing up for the course (by confirming that 50% of your grade will be relevant to your specialization, and making sure this fits the course requirements in the syllabus) and after you complete the course (by turning in the work after the course is over to seek approval from the GPS grad advisor to apply the course to your specialization).
- If you are considering taking classes in another department, please:
 - Check prerequisite requirements (especially important for business school and economics);
 - Check to see if permission of instructor is needed prior to registration ;
 - Check if it's a Law School class—if so, there is paperwork involved: please see Chaz Nailor;
 - Check for registration restrictions: most courses in other schools and departments are restricted for three days during registration. Keep this in mind when planning your schedule.
- If you are trying to find one-credit courses to round out your specialization requirements, and coming up short, please see Dr. Redei. Please note that PA188S courses (including the Public Policy series with Dr. Stolp and the UT Energy Symposium with Dr. Beach) are taken on a CR/NC basis only and cannot be applied to your specialization. There are likely to be more one-credit courses offered in the spring.
- Reminder: you will need to complete 15 credit hours' worth of coursework in your field of specialization for your LBJ degree, whether or not you are a dual degree student. Only graduate-level courses may count toward your GPS degree.
- For all of you with custom specializations, please consult with Dr. Redei before assuming that any course would count toward your self-designed specialization.

Specialization Coordinators:

Security, Law and Diplomacy:

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International Development:

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Global Governance & International Law:

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Energy, Environment & Technology:

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International Finance & Trade:

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Custom Specializations:

Dr. Lorinc Redei (lredei@austin.utexas.edu)

Security, Law & Diplomacy

PA383C (90500) *Race, Immigration and Citizenship (SUMMER 2015)*, MW 6-9:45 pm (Dorn)
PA188G (60640) Rule of Law in Post-Conflict States, F 9am-12pm, Sep.30-Oct.28 (Moran)
PA383C (60595) Defense Policy, Th 9am-12pm (Dorn)
PA383C (60590)/MAN385 (05155) Perspectives on Public Policy, F 9am-12pm (Inman)
PA388K (TBD) Economics, Innovation & Security, T 9am-12pm (Gholz)
PA388K (60645)/GOV 390L (38725)/ANS391 (31760) China and the World, W 9am-12pm (Eisenman)
PA388K (60665)/HIS380L (39515)/MES385 (41870) European Imperialism: Making of Modern Middle East, Th 5-8pm (Louis)
PA388K (60680)/HIS381 (39525) Foreign Policy Strategy & Decision-Making, T 9am-12pm (Suri)
PA388K (60695)/GOV388L (38693) Intelligence and National Security, W 2-5pm (Slick)
PA388K (60725)/EER396 (26463) Nuclear Nonproliferation Policy, T 6-9pm (Kuperman)
PA388K (60730)/GOV388L (38700) Strategy & Military Operations, W 9am-12pm (Meigs)
GOV 388K (38695) Study of International Relations, M 12:30-3:30pm (McDonald)
HIS386K (39580)/LAS386 (40480) Cold War in Latin America, T 3:30-6:30pm (Brown)
HIS392 (39610)/AAS381 (35895) Race and Migration, Th 12:30-3:30pm (Hsu)
MAS 392 (36080) Policing the US-Mexico Border, Th 2-5pm (Alvarez)

International Development

PA188G (60640) Rule of Law in Post-Conflict States, F 9am-12pm, Sep.30-Oct.28 (Moran)
PA383C (60600) Women, Politics, and Public Policy, T 9am-12pm (Rodriguez)
PA388K (60645)/GOV 390L (38725)/ANS391 (31760) China and the World, W 9am-12:00 (Eisenman)
PA388K (60700) International Development, Th 9am-12pm (Lentz)
PA388K (60745) Seven Cheap Things: Intro to World Ecology, M 6-9pm (Patel)
PA397C (60960)/GOV385L (38683) Evaluation Methods-Global Development, M 9am-12pm (Weaver)
GRG395D (37330)/LAS388-3 (40490) Latin American Cultures, Environment & Development, M 7-10pm (Knapp)
SOC396L-15 (45630) NGOs in the Developing World, W 3-6pm (Angel)

Global Governance and International Law

PA383C (90500) *Race, Immigration and Citizenship (SUMMER 2015)*, MW 6-9:45 pm (Dorn)
PA383C (60600) Women, Politics, and Public Policy, T 9am-12:00 (Rodriguez)
PA388K (60645)/GOV 390L (38725)/ANS391 (31760) China and the World, W 9am-12pm (Eisenman)
PA388K (60665)/HIS380L (39515)/MES385 (41870) European Imperialism: Making of Modern Middle East, Th 5-8pm (Louis)
PA388K (60680)/HIS381 (39525) Foreign Policy Strategy & Decision-Making, T 9am-12pm (Suri)
PA388K (60720) Negotiation and Dispute Resolution, M 6-9pm (Eaton)
GOV390L (38720)/MES384 (41855) Authoritarianism, W 9am-12pm (Brownlee)
GRG395D (37330)/LAS388-3 (40490) Latin American Cultures, Environment & Development, M 7-10pm (Knapp)
HIS386K (39580)/LAS386 (40480) Cold War in Latin America, T 3:30-6:30pm (Brown)
HIS392 (39610)/AAS381 (35895) Race and Migration, Th 12:30-3:30pm (Hsu)
LAS381 (40425)/CRP388 (01640) Architectures of Migration, Th 3-6pm (Lopez)
LAW382C (29175) Immigration and Citizenship, MTWTh 1:15-2:15pm (Churgin)
LAW697C (29289) Clinical Program: Transnational Worker Rights, Th 4:15-6:15pm (Beardall)
MAS 392 (36080) Policing the US-Mexico Border, Th 2-5pm (Alvarez)
RTF387C (09020) Global Media, W 9am-12pm (Straubhaar)
SOC389K-4 (45560) International Migration, M 3-6pm (Rodriguez)

Energy, Environment and Technology

PA388K (60660)/EER396 (26455)/LEB380-31 (03620) Energy Law, MW 9:30-11am (Spence)
PA388K (60745) Seven Cheap Things: Intro to World Ecology, M 6-9pm (Patel)
CRP383 (01585) Plan Disaster Resilient Cities, W 3-6pm (Paterson)
CRP383 3 (01590) Environmental Impact Assessment, MW 11am-12:30pm (Paterson)
ECO395K (34270) Energy & Environment Economics, MW 11am-12:30pm (Ryan)
EER396 (26460) Energy Technology and Policy, TTh 2-3:30pm (Beach)
FIN394-8 (04005) Financial Strategy for Energy Firms, MW 2-3:30pm (Butler)
LAW390 (29230) Oil and Gas MTh 10:30-11:30am (Smith)

International Finance and Trade

PA387K (60635)/BGS 380D Strategic Corporate Responsibility, TTh 11:00am-12:30pm (Richter)
PA388K (TBD) Economics, Innovation & Security, T 9am-12:00pm (Gholz)
PA388K (60650) Antitrust: Economic Efficiency Analysis, MTW 9-10am (Markovits)
PA388K (60745) Seven Cheap Things: Intro to World Ecology, M 6-9pm (Patel)
BGS 380D (03400) Law/Econ Capital Markets/Financial Integration, TTh 9:30-11:00am (Spindler)
BGS381 (03430) Law, Ethics & Corporate Social Responsibility, MW 11:00am-12:30pm (Landolt)
BGS381 (03435) Law, Ethics & Corporate Social Responsibility, MW 12:30-2:00pm (Meakin)
BGS381 (03440) Law, Ethics & Corporate Social Responsibility, MW 2:00-3:30pm (Landolt)
ECO385K-1 (34185) Intro to Labor Economics, TTh 9:30-11am (Murphy)
ECO395K (34270) Energy & Environment Economics, MW 11am-12:30pm (Ryan)
FIN394-1 (04000) Advanced Corporate Finance, TTh 3:30-5pm (Schneider)
FIN394-8 (04005) Financial Strategy for Energy Firms, MW 2-3:30pm (Butler)
LAW697C (29289) Clinical Program: Transnational Worker Rights, Th 4:15-6:15pm (Beardall)
MAN385-33 (05190) Management & Marketing in Global Arena, W 3:30-6:30pm (Doggett)
RM395-7 (04735) Managing International Risk, MW 12:30-2pm (Brockett)